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Working in a fairly diverse computing environment, I have come across many of the violations where Microsoft has been found guilty. Anything from not being able to install Apple's QuickTime player to Oracle compatibility problems. With the current settlement, Microsoft is going to continue to abuse their power which makes me wonder why the government sued Microsoft in the first place. If the government is really concerned with the consumers, it should pay us back for all of the tax dollars squandered on this case or see it through to the end. I believe that computer standards should be in place to keep consumers from being violated, but one company should not have free reign establishing those standards. I hope the judge does not approve the so called "sanctions", and that the government follows suit with the last nine remaining states and force Microsoft to play fair with the rest of the computing industry.